

FREDERICK COUNTY LIQUOR BOARD
Public Meeting Minutes
Monday, June 17, 2013

Those Present: Mr. Dick Zimmerman, Chairman
Mrs. Maggi Hays, Board Member
Mrs. Linda B. Thall, Sr. Assistant County Attorney
Mr. Harold C. DeLauter, Alcoholic Bev. Inspector
Ms. Kathy L. Vahle, Administrator
Mrs. Sandra Rees, Administrative Specialist IV

A Public Meeting was held at 12 E. Church Street, Frederick, Maryland, and was called to order at 8:45 am by Chairman Zimmerman.

1. **Orion Wines and Spirits** – Ms. Vahle stated this establishment has requested an extension to their conditional approval until November 1, 2013.

MOTION: Mrs. Hays made a motion to extend this conditional approval until November 4, 2013.

SECOND: Mr. Zimmerman seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION

ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion on the motion.

VOTE: Mrs. Hays - Aye
Mr. Zimmerman - Aye

The vote was unanimous. ***Aye – 2 Nays – 0***
(Motion Passed)

2. **Family Meal** – Ms. Vahle stated this establishment has requested to have an event outside called the Summer Sol skate on Saturday, June 22, 2013 with a rain date of June 23, 2013 from 11:30AM to 6 PM. It is a fundraiser for the Urbana Skate Park.

MOTION: Mrs. Hays made a motion to approve this request.

SECOND: Mr. Zimmerman seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION

ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion on the motion.

VOTE: Mrs. Hays - Aye
Mr. Zimmerman - Aye

The vote was unanimous. **Aye – 2 Nays – 0**
(Motion Passed)

3. **JR's Sports Bar** – Ms. Vahle stated she had two requests for this establishment. The first one is to have a band from 9PM to 1AM on 4 different dates and the second request is to have karaoke on Friday and Saturday nights from 9PM to 1AM. They would like to have unlimited karaoke Friday and Saturday nights except when they request a band. Mr. Zimmerman stated that Mr. Stup asked if the public had a chance to comment. As long as the Town of Woodsboro approves this request the Board also approves this request if the entertainment remains inside the establishment. The Board will not require the establishment to submit requests for either type of entertainment.

MOTION: Mrs. Hays made a motion to approve this request.

SECOND: Mr. Zimmerman seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION

ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion on the motion.

VOTE: Mrs. Hays - Aye
Mr. Zimmerman - Aye

The vote was unanimous. **Aye – 2 Nays – 0**
(Motion Passed)

4. **Brookside Inn** – The Board scheduled a conference to discuss their outside area request. Mr. Ted Lapkoff, their neighbor, objected this outside area. The Board voted to reconsider its March 21, 2013 approval of the request, based upon new evidence that was not presented to the Board at that time.

Protest – Mr. Ted Lapkoff, the neighbor, stated his concern was noise issues. He stated there was more noise than he was comfortable with and also the smoking on the outside area would

create more problems. They had no knowledge that a deck was going to be built.

John Vanfleet the owner of the Brookside Inn presented pictures, diagrams and also a petition signed by 482 people in the neighborhood for approval of the outside area. The deck was approved for seats 24 with six tables. Deborah Freeman a neighbor stated she supports this outside area and does not see any problems.

MOTION: Mrs. Hays made a motion to approve this request.

SECOND: Mr. Zimmerman seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION

ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion on the motion.

VOTE: Mrs. Hays - Aye
Mr. Zimmerman - Aye

The vote was unanimous. **Aye – 2 Nays – 0**
(Motion Passed)

5. Decision Required: approval of the Public Meeting Minutes for June 3, 2013.

MOTION: Mrs. Hays made a motion to approve the Public Meeting Minutes for June 3, 2013.

SECOND: Mr. Zimmerman seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION

ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion on the motion.

VOTE: Mrs. Hays - Aye
Mr. Zimmerman - Aye

The vote was unanimous. **Aye – 2 Nays – 0**
(Motion Passed)

ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 9:41 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Vahle, Administrator
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Prepared by Sandra Rees